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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Applicant(s) in the above-identified application hereby petition(s) for a three-month extension of time to and including February 6, 2006 (February 4 being a Saturday) for responding to the Office Action mailed August 4, 2005. A response to the final Office Action accompanies this Petition.

[X] A check in the amount of \$510.00.00 is enclosed herewith.

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